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**FRIENDSHIP'S DIADLEM.**  
A SONG,  
"THERE IS A FLOWER"

*Music Composed and respectfully dedicated to*

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VOICE. **MODERATO.** There

PIANO *mf*

FORTE.

Ped: -----

is a flow'r whose beau - - - ty, Hath nev-er seen the day, And

dews weep o'er its fra - - - grance, Which night winds bear a - - - way. It

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nev-er lifts its gen-tle head, Save to the star-lit skies, And

when they fade be-fore the morn, It droops a-way and dies.

*RALL:*  
*Colla Voce.*

There is a gem deep

*RALL:*

bu-ri-ed Be-neath Pe-ru-vian mines, Whose phos-pho-res-cent

bril-lian-cy By day-light nev-er shines. Down in the dark some

ca-vern, Where sun-light nev-er gleams, It spreads its mild soft

ra-di-ance, O'er sub-ter-ra-nean streams.. *DIM.*

But sweet-er than the flow-er, And pure-er than the



gem, Are the Jew-els bright that spar- - - kle In Friend-ships di - a -

- dem. Pre-serve through sun - shine and through storm, Their rays of peer - less

light, For though they gild pros - pe - - ri - ty, They bright-est shine by

night .

*p* *CRES.* *f* *RALL. DIM.*